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APPLICANT : Jan van der Greef et al.
FILED : Concurrently Herewith
FOR : Identification of Ligands for Orphan Receptors
Using Mass Spectrometry

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the application as
follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

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Page 1, after line 2, please insert --Background of the
Invention--;

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Page 4, after line 25, please insert --Summary of the
Invention--;

Page 5, after line 13, please insert
--Brief Description of the Drawings
A1
Fig. 1 is a graft representing a typical MS spectrum of digoxin;